

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6217

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EMIN, BEXP, BL

SUBJECT: FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR SIDERSA'S MUTUN ORE MINING  
AND SMELTING PROJECT

REF: LA PAZ 2176

1. GOB CABINET RETURNED WITHOUT APPROVING TO SIDERSA TUESDAY  
NIGHT APRIL 1, 1975 ALL PROPOSALS FOR MUTUN STUDY CONTRACT  
IN ORDER TO RENEGOTIATE COST OF STUDY WITH FIRMS.

2. KAISER ENGINEERS AND MCKEE ARE AT DISADVANTAGE AS THEIR  
COSTS ARE LOWEST WHILE KLOCKNER AND KRUPP OF GERMANY ARE  
HIGHEST.

3. AT PRESENT EXACT RENEGOTIATION CONDITIONS, TIME LIMIT AND  
WHETHER SIDERSA WILL RENEGOTIATE WITH ALL FIRMS IS UNKNOWN.

4. APPEARS SIDERSA IS NOW ESTABLISHING GROUND RULES. WILL ADVISE  
AS SOON AS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BECOMES AVAILABLE.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: ADVISE US FIRMS OF SITUATION.  
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